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# BUSINESS SPECIALS.

Under this head business notices inserted for ten cents per line. Seven words to the line. Underwear, over shirts, hats, gloves, mittens, buy them at F. H. Noyes' Blue Store. Don't make a mistake and buy elsewhere.

Miss Libby will remain in Norway through the holiday run. She will have something to tell you about it a little later.

Dr. Annette Bennett, Home block, has a nice coal heater for sale. 42¢.

On account of having to finish all work personally, Swan wants sitting as soon as the run is advertised.

Bargains in wrappers at Thomas Smiley's.

Clothing for boys. The right kind at the right price at F. H. Noyes' Blue Store. Call and see them.

Hobbs Variety Store has a car drain pipe, this week.

Tenement four rooms to let. Very pleasantly situated and price reasonable. Apply at 5 Paris St. Mrs. Olaus, Pike.

Thomas Smiley is selling bed blankets very low when prices are considered.

Don't buy cheap clothing. It does not pay. The suits, overcoats, ulsters, at F. H. Noyes' Blue Store for \$10 are all right, best we have ever offered. We've got the cheaper ones, \$8.50, \$7.50, \$6, \$5, \$4.

You want to look at some of that Rio coffee. 15c a pound, 2 pounds for 25c, at E. F. Bickford.

Swan is obliged to make one more trip of one week for the G. T. R. before getting down for the Christmas run. He will thoroughly advertise the opening day, probably about the 14th.

Mr. Lane, the piano tuner, will be in Norway, next week. Leave orders at Horace Cole's.

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## NORWAY AND VICINITY.

H. Denison Cole has had his furlough extended four weeks.

Ellery Wheeler goes up country to work in the woods, this winter.

Mrs. Louie P. Swett has returned from a visit to her parents in Belfast.

Mrs. Lizzie Sampson has been visiting Mrs. H. H. Danforth at Gorham, N. H.

Allen F. Bartlett of Lynn, Mass., made a flying visit to town, the first of the week.

I. B. Isaacson and W. H. Allen of Lewiston have been in Norway, the past week.

George T. Jacques of Lynn, the new superintendent of the B. F. Spinnery & Co. shoe factory, took charge of affairs the first of November. Mrs. Jacques is expected in a few days.

## Smiley-Cook.

There was a quiet wedding at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Cook, early Tuesday evening, when their only daughter, Lucella Mabelle Cook, was married to Charles Smiley of Norway.

Near relatives and a very few intimate friends were present. The bride was gowned in pearl colored silk. Rev. Bates S. Rickerout, pastor of the Norway Congregational church, tied the knot.

The groom is one of Norway's progressive young business men. He is manager of the Smiley Manufacturing Co. The bride is a popular young lady, and is especially welcome in musical circles. She has sung alto in Norway Congregational choir for several years.

They received some very fine wedding presents.

They left on the evening westbound train for a wedding trip, the destination of which they did not tell.

A partying shower of rice and they were gone. They will return in a fortnight and make their home with her parents.

Several Norway ladies are getting up a class for the study of French. Mrs. Alma Pendexter Hayden will be the teacher.

G. Leon Curtis and family are spending a week at North Paris. This is the first vacation that Mr. Curtis has had for four years.

The Annual Thanksgiving Ball given under the auspices of the Knights of Pythias will be held at the Opera House, Thanksgiving eve.

Private John Lummus, Jr., after being mustered out, goes to Augusta to be clerk in the National Guard commissary department for a season.

Charles L. Jackson has returned to town. He has been visiting relatives and friends in Richmond, Freeport and Portland for a month past.

Mrs. Seamans, the state lecturer of the W. C. T. U., will lecture at the Congregational church, Thursday, Nov. 10, in the afternoon and evening.

Corporal Edward Barker of the First Massachusetts Heavy Artillery is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Roswell Frost. Corporal Barker's residence is in Wakefield, Mass.

Mrs. Boyden Lunt of Bath is the guest of her brother, Thomas Smiley. Mrs. Lunt is fully as vivacious as when she used to live in Norway and her name was Minnie Smiley.

Mr. and Mrs. William D. Bisbee have returned from a fortnight's trip during which they visited relatives and friends in several towns of Androscoggin and Franklin counties.

Walter Russ from New York is visiting here. Mr. Russ is at present making headquarters with his folks at Bryant's Pond. He is bugler of the 210th New York Infantry.

The household goods of F. C. Wilson will be sold at auction, Saturday, Nov. 12, at 2 o'clock p. m. The goods are all new, having been used only a few weeks. Geo. A. Cole, auctioneer.

Arthur G. Boynton of Lynn, Mass., is visiting friends in town. It is some years since he used to live here, and the boy in his teens has developed into a tall and rather good looking young man.

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## Mustered Out.

The soldiers of D Company, Seventy-fourth United States Infantry, otherwise and more commonly known as the First Maine Volunteer Company, were mustered out at the company armory in Norway, Tuesday, November 1. The mustering officer was Capt. M. Rogers of E Battery, United States Second Artillery. He was assisted by a sergeant from his battery as clerk, and by Lieut. J. D. Barrette, United States Seventh Artillery. The paymaster was Maj. J. A. Watrous of the United States Army, and Examining Surgeon, Capt. Stiles, assistant surgeon in the United States Army. The roll of Company D at the muster out is as follows:

Capt. James L. Moriarty, Lewiston.  
1st Lieut. Benj. P. Atkins, South Paris.  
2d Lieut. John Waldo Nash, Norway.  
1st Serg. Wallace W. Sheen, Norway.  
Q. M. Serg. Merton L. Kimball, Norway.  
Serg. Horace H. Cole, Norway.  
Serg. Alfred L. Lafaire, Norway.  
Serg. Stephen J. Johnson, Gardiner.  
Serg. Benj. Franklin Fauce, Norway.  
Corp. Nathan A. Chase, South Paris.  
Corp. Sawyer S. Maxim, South Paris.  
Corp. Ray Bradlee, Norway.  
Corp. William P. Pierce, Bangor.  
Corp. Carlton M. Gray, South Paris.  
Corp. Fred E. Coffin, Bath.  
Corp. Louis A. Shattree, Orono.  
Corp. Ross L. Bickford, Norway.  
Corp. Forrest A. Hunter, Gardiner.  
Corp. Frank E. DeCoster, South Paris.  
Corp. Charles G. Adams, Norway.  
Musician LeForest W. McAllister, Stoneham.  
Artificer Timothy L. Hastings, Stoneham.  
Wagoner Charles B. Andrews, Paris.  
Private Berr W. Abbott, South Paris.  
Private Nathaniel A. Adams, Wilton.  
Private Perley Andrews, Waterford.  
Private Ralph L. Bachelder, Gardiner.  
Private Henry V. Barruel, Bangor.  
Private Ervin A. Bean, Norway.  
Private Guy C. Bean, Norway.  
Private Warren E. Beedie, Richmond.  
Private Frank Billideau, Augusta.  
Private William H. Hunt, Augusta.  
Private Arthur H. Bodkin, Norway.  
Private Edward N. Bowker, Bath.  
Private Charles W. Buckman, Mechanic Falls.  
Private Clarence Bumpus, Oxford.  
Private William O. Cousins, Stillwater.  
Private Carl Cotton, Fairfield.  
Private John E. Cummings, West Paris.  
Private George A. Cunningham, Randolph.  
Private Albertson E. DeCoster, South Paris.  
Private Edward L. Foster, Concord, N. H.  
Private Arthur Gasper, Mt. Vernon.  
Private Edward Gagnon, Fairfield.  
Private Paul Gagnon, Fairfield.  
Private George M. Hall, South Gardiner.  
Private George T. Harding, Orono.  
Private Frank E. Haskell, Oakland.  
Private Donald J. Henry, South Paris.  
Private John W. Hennessey, Dover, N. H.  
Private George W. Hersey, Mechanic Falls.  
Private Herbert L. Holt, North Norway.  
Private Walter E. Hunter, Gardiner.  
Private Joseph H. Jewett, Norway.  
Private James E. Jones, Bath.  
Private Thomas J. Kavanaugh, Paris.  
Private Wilfred L. Keene, Mechanic Falls.  
Private Fred Lajoie, Augusta.  
Private Fred M. Lake, Richmond.  
Private Charles F. Lord, Gardiner.  
Private John Lummus, Jr., Norway.  
Private Ernest L. Mann, West Paris.  
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Private Jonathan B. McAllister, Stoneham.  
Private William H. McKenzie, Orono.  
Private Ralph H. McIntosh, Orono.  
Private Albion Packard, Paris.  
Private Horace W. Page, Jay.  
Private Gustav W. Paine, Jay.  
Private John H. Perkins, Oakland.  
Private Wilfred Perkins, Oxford.  
Private Ogra Pooler, Vassalboro.  
Private Leader B. Porter, Orono.  
Private Arthur N. Pratt, Fairfield.  
Private Bert J. Priest, Vassalboro.  
Private Joseph Raticoff, Paris.  
Private Henry W. Rogers, Troy.  
Private Arthur Rousseau, Augusta.  
Private Walter E. Rowe, South Paris.  
Private Archie Simpson, North Vassalboro.  
Private David A. Simpson, North Vassalboro.  
Private Frank E. Spencer, Gardiner.  
Private Charles E. Spofford, South Paris.  
Private Henry St. Pierre, Augusta.  
Private William J. Surman, Vassalboro.  
Private Ernest M. Sweet, South Paris.  
Private Jerry Theod, Norway.  
Private Newell R. Thurlow, Woodstock.  
Private Ralph I. Trask, Norway.  
Private Frank G. Van Dassel, Randolph.  
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Private Emery E. Weiss, Plinston.  
Private Samuel Welch, Jr., Bath.  
Private Edmond H. Weymouth, Clinton.  
Private Samuel H. Whittier, Paris.  
Private Philip M. Wyginn, Bangor.  
Private Ralph H. Young, Buckfield.

Previously discharged members of Company D, who accordingly were not at the muster out, are:

Sergt. Alfred A. Stachels, South Paris, promoted to Second Lieutenant in regular army.  
Sergt. Charles S. Bartlett, Norway.  
Private Linton H. Barr, Orono.  
Private David O. Brown, Stoneham.  
Private Arthur A. Jackman, Norway.

The three who have died of disease are:

Capt. Frank T. Bartlett, Norway.  
Sergt. Charles C. Scott, Dexter.  
Corp. Harold Lamson, Addison.

Two privates of Company D have been transferred as follows:

Albert J. Stearns, Norway, to Company C and commissioned Second Lieutenant. Discharged with Company C.  
Joseph Gahan, Westbrook, to Regimental Band, mustered out with band.

Five soldiers were unable to come to muster out, on account of sickness. They are privates Adams, Barruel, Mann, McIntosh and Rowe. These soldiers are Pheters and Rowe. Their will be mustered out, later, on single muster rolls.

There are ten others whose discharges are delayed on account of uncertain health. They are Capt. Moriarty, Lieut. Atkins, Corporals Adams and Gray, Artificer Heath and Privates E. A. Bean, Buckman, Spofford, Sweet and Theod.

Others who belong on the sick list are recorded as disabled at time of discharge. Assistant Surgeon, Capt. Stiles requested Privates Rogers and Trask to reenlist and go into the ambulance corps of the regular army. They are considering the matter.

Capt. Rogers and officers accompanying him stopped at the Beal's hotel. Some of the members of the company also put up at hotels, but nearly all were entertained at the homes of our citizens. People kept open house for the soldier boys, and it was a surprise to many of them. They expected to shift for themselves as non-resident members of other companies have when at the mustering out place, and they appreciated the hospitality of the people.

Some of them came on Saturday, but by the greater number arrived on Monday. Some started for their homes on the Tuesday afternoon trains and the others went on the following morning.

Monday evening the soldiers were entertained by a ball in the opera house. The floor director was Charles S. Akers, and aids Corporal C. F. Adams, private and aids Corporal C. F. Adams, private and aids Corporal C. F. Adams, private.

The beautiful patriotic drill by six teen young ladies led by C. S. Akers was repeated, greatly to the delight of the soldiers.

An order of twelve dances was thoroughly enjoyed.

The attendance was large, both of dancers and spectators. Ice cream and cake were served at intermission.

Ephraim H. Brown is visiting at the home of his daughter, Mrs. O. B. Warren, Rochester, N. H.

W. Frank Cox has bought Frank H. Hurd's house on Crescent street and is moving into his purchase.

There will be a baked bean supper followed by a promenade concert at Concert Hall, Tuesday evening.

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The association met at the Beal's hotel, Norway, Monday. The attendance was small, the physicians present being: Dr. W. H. Robinson, Dr. J. F. Crockett, Dr. W. H. Robinson, Dr. J. F. Crockett, Dr. W. H. Robinson, Dr. J. F. Crockett.

Dr. Wheel was elected to membership in the Association.

Dr. Larabee read a paper on spastic diplegia, a rare nervous disease. It was followed by a lengthy discussion.

Dr. S. C. Leavitt read a paper on post-partum hemorrhage, which also caused considerable discussion.

"Presque Isle has adopted a novel system of heating stores and residences. By means of a system of underground pipes, steam is supplied to all so desiring it by a central plant, like gas or water." The Lewiston Journal is authority for the above. The system doesn't seem strange to Norway people, for Dr. B. Cummings & Sons of this village have been doing the same thing for ten years.

1st Sergt. Wallace Sheen, now he is mustered out of the United States volunteer service, has decided to lay aside work for a while and go on a hunting and pleasure trip. He is going to Albany and says he will be away two or three months. He shot two deer, last fall, and expects to get two more, this fall. Sergt. Sheen has been much interested in military affairs and for twelve years has been a member of the National State Guard in both Maine and Massachusetts. Critics who ought to know say he is well up in military knowledge.

## NORTH NORWAY.

Minnie Cox is teaching at the Center. John Carter has gone to Haverhill to work.

Mrs. Gertrude Bartlett and child have moved to Elmer Dunn's.

Mrs. Geo. Hobbs and son went to Boston, last week for a visit.

Mrs. Emma Morey of Bolster's Mills is stopping at C. G. French's.

Frank Cox is moving to the village, having bought Mr. Hurd's stand.

Herbert Marshall has been repairing and adding to his farm buildings.

D. S. Andrews of Otisfield was the guest of O. W. H. Jenkins, last week.

Dana. Bartlett and Arthur Herriek have gone up country to work in the woods.

Geo. Keniston's husking was well attended, forty-four being present and 70 bushels of corn husked.

## EAST DENMARK.

H. M. Maxcey lost a nice horse, last week.

Alfonso Hilton has been shingling his house.

Walter Berry is visiting in Boston and vicinity.

Henry R. Smith bought a horse in Brownfield, Saturday. He now has a nice span.

Heard Peary of Biddford was here, last week, visiting old friends and neighbors. Many years ago she lived with her family in the house now owned by Daniel Ward.

Harry, the ten-year-old son of Henry Smith, was much pleased one morning last week. He had two traps set for coons and when visiting them found a nice fat one in each trap.

## SOUTH PARIS.

John F. Stanley and wife of Auburn were in town, Friday.

Mrs. Fred Chandler is visited by Bertha Twaddle of Bethel.

Harvest supper at the Congregational church, Thursday evening.

Harry Swett of Milton Plantation is visiting at Benjamin Swett's.

Sumner E. Tucker has piped four new water services on Church street.

Mrs. Thompson of Hartford visited her cousin, Swasey Burnell, last week.

Mrs. Helena Small of Mexico recently visited her brother, Albert D. Park.

James Glover has enlarged the cellar of his residence on Pleasant street.

Mrs. Margaret Pratt, one of the oldest residents of the village, is very feeble.

A. E. Morse, humorist, was chief entertainer at the Greene fair, last week.

Frank Rawson Dead.

Frank H. Rawson, formerly of this town, was fatally injured, Tuesday, last week. He was driving up to Hartford to move a building. In going through Minot, he was in some way thrown from the load of apparatus and it passed over him. He died, the next day. He was 56 years old, and left a wife and two grown up sons.

Almer E. Foster and wife of Auburn visited his sister, Mrs. Edgar T. Record.

S. H. Libby and Wellington Bird of Bryant's Pond were in town, Wednesday.

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Mrs. Ingalls F. Evans was called to Upton by sickness of her mother, last week.

George W. Haskell was a guest at Rosalvo Crockett's, Buckfield, Saturday night.

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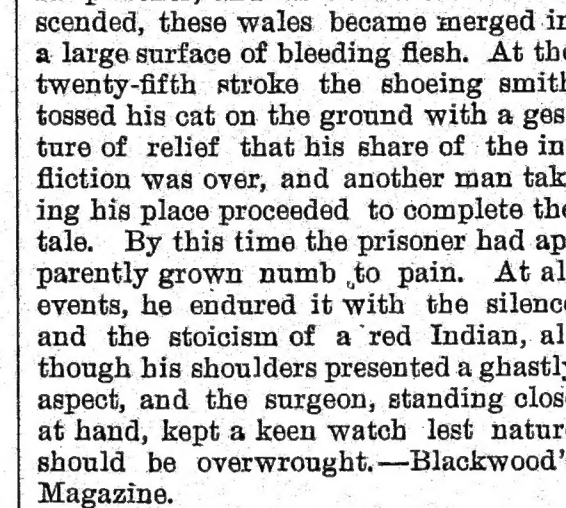
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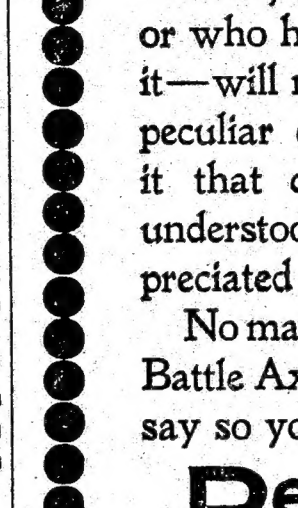
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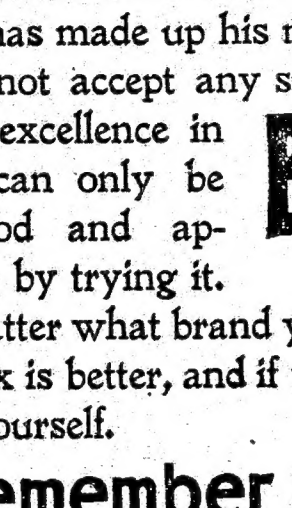
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Abbie S. Roberts has been appointed postmaster at Greenwood.

Seward A. Wood of East Dixfield has been granted an increase of pension, \$8 to \$8.

The Buckfield Fur Club met at Turner the first of the week. Three foxes were shot, Monday.

Bradford Hammond of Mexico was killed, Monday morning, by a falling chimney, while engaged in moving a house.

The Kent's Hill and Hebron football teams met on the Hebron grounds, Monday. Result a great victory for the Hebrons—score 54 to 0.

The Center Lovell post office has been designated by the post office department as a money order office and the postmaster directed to qualify.

Mrs. Jennie Seamans, State organizer of the W. C. T. U., is to speak in Oxford County. Appointments have been made as follows: Bethel, Nov. 5; Locke's Mills, 7; West Paris, 8; South Paris, 9; Norway, 10; Andover, 11.

## NORWAY LAKE.

G. A. Stephens returned home, Tuesday.

A. D. Kilgore and Edna Holden went to Lewiston, Wednesday.

F. E. Pottle has moved into Miss Partridge's house for the winter.

Mrs. W. S. Partridge visited her mother, Mrs. B. G. Barrows, at Norway, last week.

Quite a number of the people from this place are attending the meetings at the village.

Miss F. M. Tucker has gone to Loudon Center to help her sister in getting ready to go to Rhode Island to live.

Norway Lake Woman's Club will meet with Miss Burbank, Nov. 18th. Programme for the afternoon:

Report of secretary.....  
Music.....  
Business.....  
Quotations.....  
Selection from Tennyson.....  
Chip Basket.....  
Adjournment.....

## LOCKE'S MILLS.

R. E. Powers' new store is being rapidly built.

Mrs. Perkins of Smyrna Mills is visiting her daughter, Mrs. S. S. Felt.

Calvin Cole has moved into one of the houses owned by Daniel Cummings.

George A. Crocker of Norway has been stopping at A. L. Emery's, a few days.

Mrs. Lucy Libby has been visiting at Gorham, N. H., and at West Paris, this week.

Kendall Pollard, who died in Lewiston, Oct. 27, was brought here the following Saturday for burial.

Mrs. Edith George entertained the Ladies' Circle at the hall, Wednesday evening. There was not a very large attendance.

Mrs. Goodwin and family of South Bethel have moved into the house by the railroad crossing owned by Mrs. Lucy Libby.

We are told that Capt. J. F. Dearborn has bought the residence of the late F. M. Bartlett at Bryant's Pond and sold his place here to W. H. Crockett.

Dana Grant and family returned home from Portland, last Sunday, Oct. 30th. While there Mr. Grant had his eyes operated on, and is much pleased to think he can see a little.

Mrs. C. R. Bartlett and Mrs. W. H. Farnham are to have an entertainment and supper at the hall, Wednesday evening, Nov. 9, for the benefit of the Universalist society. Rev. F. E. Barton is to be invited to be present, and they hope to have a large circle. Every one is cordially invited to come and have a good time.

## NORWAY CENTER.

Rufus Morrill came home, last Saturday.

Clara Hobbs is stopping at home for a while.

George Richardson is at home from Falmouth.

Edie Green is at the town farm, working for Mrs. Herbert Hobbs.

Geo. Knightly from Beverly, Mass., is visiting friends in this place.

Mrs. Frank Quint visited at Rufus Morrill's and Daniel Watson's, recently.

Fred Eoster bought about a dozen nice sheep, last week, of Benjamin Skillings.

Services at the church closed, Sunday, Oct. 23. Prayer meeting in the evening at 7 o'clock as usual.

Mrs. M. O. Watson has returned from the village where she has been at work for Mrs. L. I. Gilbert.

There is to be a circle at the chapel, Wednesday, Nov. 9. Picnic dinner. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Abram Lake, who has been stopping at Thomas Knightly's, this summer, has gone to the village to work in the shoe shop.

Chester Wheeler stopped at D. A. Watson's, Tuesday night, while on his way from Bethel to Turner where he has been at work in the butter factory for the past four years.

The Y. P. S. C. E. had a bake bean supper and social at the chapel, last Friday evening. About 50 were present and a very pleasant evening was had by all. Proceeds of the evening, \$5.00.

## EAST SWEDEN.

H. H. Bisbee has moved from Auburn to his late purchase known as the E. W. Bennett farm.

Will Farrington went to Hartford, last Saturday, on his wheel to visit his sister, Mrs. Gurney.

Arthur E. Flint is spending his vacation with his sister, Mrs. J. W. Nevers, and is improving the opportunity to hunt for deer.

## BUCKFIELD.

Mrs. Edwin Maxim is improving from a severe and sudden illness.

K. N. Prince has closed his house for the winter and with his wife has gone to New York.

Friday evening, there is to be a temperance lecture at the M. E. church by Mr. Bisbee of Brunswick.

J. F. Packard is confined to his house by his old and chronic troubles contracted in the war of the rebellion.

Stanley Bisbee and wife of Rumford Falls and Geo. Gifford and wife of Auburn were in town over Sunday, visiting friends.

Frank Washburn, while working in Atwood & Atwood's dis-block factory, was hit on the head by a falling block of maple hurting him quite badly.

An all day camp-fire was held by Fessenden Post on Saturday with the Summer and Turner Posts as invited guests. Social intercourse in the forenoon with dinner at C. A. R. Hall. In the afternoon the company were convened at the Methodist church, Comrade C. H. Prince presiding in his usual happy manner.

Rev. Mr. Mabry was called upon to offer prayer. A choir organized especially for the occasion was in attendance adding greatly to the pleasure of the occasion. Stephen Heald spoke for the Summer Post, and Dr. Cushing and Russell for Turner. Mrs. Dr. Cushing, who is a sister of Hon. Eugene Hale, was called upon and responded briefly.

O. R. Hall gave a very lucid description of the war of the rebellion, noting the different battles and generals, their failures and successes, showing unbounded research as well as a wonderful memory, especially for a man deprived of sight. He then took up the subject of the late war, advising a system of expansion, closing a half hour's address with the statement, "this is not jingoism, it is expansion." The chairman called on John, but John held back. A second call and considerable urging brought him, and after apologizing on account of age and boughten teeth with fears that they might fall to the floor, he gave us Spartacus, with all the vigor of an ambitious youth, while the fire of the gladiator seemed to gleam in his eye.

## Mrs. Abigail Godwin.

Mrs. Abigail Godwin died, Oct. 29th, 1898, at Rumford Falls, where she had been living with her daughter, Mrs. Elmina Clorby, for the last two or three years. Mrs. Godwin was 88 years old and last Feb. 26th, being born in 1810. She was married when she was 15 years old to David A. Godwin of Rumford. Death claimed her life partner about 34 years ago. Eight children were born to the couple, five sons and three daughters. The five sons responded to the call for volunteers when their country called and the oldest and youngest gave up their lives in defense of their flag. One daughter died of consumption and five children remain, who have done every thing to care for and comfort their mother. Mrs. Godwin was remarkably smart for a woman of her age up to five years ago. She was born in Paris. Funeral was held at North Woodstock, Tuesday, Nov. 1st, buried with her father and mother. She will be greatly missed by her children, who visited her often, and she them in turn. Two sons and one daughter live in Massachusetts, one son and one daughter live in Maine.

## MASON.

S. O. Grover returned from Boston, last Saturday.

"El Grover has gone to work for Channing Grover at Bethel.

E. E. Kiorrit returned home to Norway with his teams, last Saturday.

Minnie E. Wheeler visited friends at Grover Hill, Bethel, Saturday and Sunday.

Daniel Mills, who has been sick with rheumatism all summer, has not been as well as usual, the past week.

School closes, this week, after a ten weeks' term. There will be a short vacation, then another term of nine or ten weeks taught by Elizabeth I. Grover of Bethel.

A party of sportsmen were at their camp in the west part of the town, last Friday and Saturday, composed of the following distinguished gentlemen—J. H. Bean, Register of Deeds of South Paris; Bert Perry, Pullman car conductor between Boston and St. Johns, N. B.; J. H. Mason, conductor on the electric of Boston; Charles E. Brown, chairman Selectmen of Mason; Elmer Stiles, clerk in a store at Mechanic Falls; also V. R. Mills and O. G. Mason, farmers. All are or have been residents of this town, except Otto Mason, who was a former resident of West Bethel.

## DENMARK.

Gus. Colby is at Fryeburg at work.

Irving Ingalls is shingling his house.

Mrs. A. H. Witham is very much worse.

Fred Sanborn is putting aqueduct water into his barn for his stock.

Arthur Pendexter and Ernest Ingalls went to Portland and returned Saturday.

Leon Ingalls' wife was obliged to leave the school she was teaching, last week, by reason of a severe cold.

A. B. Ordway is putting a bay window on his sitting room, putting two windows into the one bay window.

Mrs. Rowena Swan of Norway accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Swan of Bridgton, visited her sister, Hattie Farwell, at A. H. Witham's, last week Friday.

N. P. Babb has bought most of the apples in this section, paying \$1.35 and \$2.35 per barrel.

Mrs. Nathaniel Walker at the village is very sick, also Lizzie Davis and the wife of Rev. C. F. Sargent.

The Congregational circle met with Mrs. Geo. Colby, last week. Although the weather was rainy, some thirty were present for tea.

J. N. Smith and wife returned, Wednesday, from a four weeks' visit to Dixville, Canada. Also Stephen Jewett and daughter, Mrs. E. E. Swan, C. H. McIntire and wife have made a three weeks' visit to Canada by private team. All report a most enjoyable Canadian cousins and no duties either way.

R. C. Harmon shouldered his rifle, one day last week, and with five loaded cartridges in the magazine was after deer. He had not gone 40 rods from the house before he saw a fine deer standing still to him. A now visit to the time so long sought and he brought his rifle, calmly, took good aim and pulled the trigger. The gun did not go but the deer did. Mr. Harmon then remembered that he had not sprung a cartridge into his rifle, and according to his own testimony taking then and there, where the air was blue, there was one fool greater than any other two.

## FRYEBURG.

Marilla Curtis is at her home in Buxton.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hastings are home from Kezar pond.

Mrs. Frank Locke is visiting relatives in Whitefield, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaiah Booth spent the past week at Cumberland Mills.

Mrs. Morgan of Wolfboro, N. H., is with her mother, Mrs. A. O. Frost.

Thomas Charles has returned from Portland, where he went to have one of his eyes removed, it having been injured by a piece of flying steel.

A number of Fryeburg people visited Portland, Saturday. Among them were Mrs. Sawtelle, Miss Sawtelle, Miss A. C. Wiley, Ruth Gilman, Clara Lovejoy, James Eastman and Clarence Wiley.

The annual meeting of the West Oxford Agricultural Society was held, Friday, and the following officers elected:

President, Dean A. Hall.  
Vice-President, A. D. Fessenden, Denmark.  
Secretary, T. L. Eastman.  
Treasurer, W. E. Farber.  
Trustees, H. D. Hardin, C. H. Walker, E. N. Fox, Lovell, W. E. Farber, Sweden, Walker, Stow, S. J. Durgin, Brownfield, C. R. Bean, Hiram, H. Guphill, Porter, E. H. Ingalls, Denmark.  
General Manager, C. W. Pike.

It was voted to pay \$300.00 on the debt of the association. The past year was one of the most successful in the history of the society.

## HARBOR.

Austin Bemis lost a cow lately.

Frank Hall is threshing at Conway.

Will Howe sold a pair of calves, the past week.

Will Thompson has lately sold four young cattle.

Orin Stanley has been visiting relatives in Lovell.

Walter Benson is shingling his house on the old place.

Walter Bemis is driving horses to plow on Ed Huttelins' farm.

C. W. and F. A. Farrington are doing a job at Conway, carpentering.

Mrs. Mary Seavey of Stow has been visiting her brother, R. Cole, here.

Sidney Holmes of Intervale is staying at his uncle's, Will Howe's, and doing chores.

Mrs. Abbie Walker has been spending a few days at her son Winslow's at North Fryeburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Seavey and children of Intervale, N. H., have been guests at W. L. Howe's lately.

Rev. and Mrs. Bragg, Lottie Bemis, David Bradley and wife attended the Sunday School Convention at Lovell Centre, last week.

## WEST SUMMER.

Mrs. Louise Gurney has arrived home again.

George E. Pulsifer arrived home, Saturday night.

Eugenie Keene is visiting her mother, Mrs. C. W. Fields.

Our new trader, Mr. Moore, is open, ready for business.

George Packard's mother is visiting with him for awhile.

Farmers are doing their breaking up; just a little damp, though.

Rev. H. A. Abbott preached in the Universalist church, last Sunday.

H. H. Maxim is setting out apple, pear, plum and cherry trees, this fall; also several kinds of berries.

The following have sold their apples L. P. Merrill, who is buying for Roche & Co. of Auburn; Jefferson Andrews, I. O. Swift, E. N. Stetson, C. W. Starbird, D. D. Small and C. E. Hadley.

L. E. Pulsifer of South Paris spent the 26th and 27th visiting relatives and friends in this place. F. L. Pulsifer returned with him to South Paris to spend a few days. From there he will return to his home in Lynn.

## OTISFIELD GORE.

Mrs. Emerson from Canada died in this town, last week, after a brief illness at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Loren T. Broth, whom she was visiting.

Monday morning, the funeral procession started for South Paris to take the train to Canada. In South Paris a runaway team with a load of corn shop bath pans ran into the procession. Several carriages were smashed up, two more horses ran and several of those in carriages were hurt somewhat, the worst injury being to Charles Y. Francis, who sustained a fracture of the collar bone.

## REGAINED HEALTH.

Gratifying Letters to Mrs. Pinkham From Happy Women.

## "I Owe You My Life."

Mrs. E. Woolfshier, Mills, Neb., writes:

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM: I owe my life to your Vegetable Compound. The doctors said I had consumption and nothing could be done for me. My menstruation had stopped and they said my blood was turning to water. I had several doctors. They all said I could not live. I began the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and it helped me right away; menses returned and I have gained in weight. I have better health than I have had for years. This wonderful what your Compound has done for me."

## "I Feel Like a New Person."

Mrs. Geo. LEACH, 1609 Belle St., Alton, Ill., writes:

"Before I began to take your Vegetable Compound I was a great sufferer from womb trouble. Menses would appear two and three times in a month, causing me to be so weak I could not stand. I could neither sleep nor eat, and looked so badly my friends hardly knew me."

"I took doctor's medicine but did not derive much benefit from it. My druggist gave me one of your little books, and after reading it I decided to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I feel like a new person. I would not give your Compound for all the doctor's medicine in the world. I can not praise it enough."

Mrs. M. G. Goodwin, of Amesbury, Mass., says, that for years her face was wholly covered with pimples. Less than one box of Comfort Powder

relieved her so that her friends noticed it. All skin irritations are relieved and cured by it.

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**NORTH FRYEBURG.**  
Mrs. Hollis Mansfield is visiting her daughter in Jackson, N. H.  
Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Smith have been visiting in this vicinity, recently.  
Mr. and Mrs. F. Douglass and daughter visited at D. H. Charles', this week.  
U. L. Pinkham has gone to Jackson. He bought a horse of W. J. Pitman, recently.  
Perley McKean went to Lovell, last week, returning with a fine deer that he shot in that place.  
Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Andrews with Mr. and Mrs. Elden Andrews of Stow visited in Jackson, last week.  
Marvin Farrington who has been stopping with his aunt, Mrs. Anson Charles, for some time, returned to his home in Chicago, last week.  
Quite a number from this place went on the last week's excursion to Boston. Among them were Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Andrews, Mrs. C. Hastings and Mrs. R. Brickett.

**EAST SUMMER.**  
Capt. L. B. Bisbee is doing quite a job of stone work in putting in a bank wall near his stable.  
S. C. Heald, Orville Barrows and Slocum have been repairing the roofs of their residences.  
Henry Ripley is building an addition to his blacksmith shop and is to put in an engine for power.

Bethuel Cary is working on a foundation for an addition to his stable which he will erect in the spring.

Mary E. Crockett has just completed her first term of school. Her school closed on Friday with interesting exercises in the evening by her pupils.

**SWEDEN.**  
Abram Gray shot a deer, last week.  
Clarence E. Jones is on the sick list.  
Mrs. Kate Libby is under the doctor's care.

Our school is progressing finely taught by Emma McAllister.

John A. Smith and Lester Briggs are drawing paper for Geo. Sawyer.

Mrs. Katie Draper and husband of Bridgton have been visiting at her father's, the past week.

Walter E. Gordon is shingling Daniel Smart's buildings. Walter has hired the farm for one year or more.

Mrs. Emma Gordon presented her husband, Walter E. Gordon, with a boy baby, Oct. 21st, William Edwin.

B. S. Holden is building a new sap house.

Mrs. John Evans and Eva spent Sunday at Paris.

M. E. Perry has new shingled his house and ell.

Lena Maxwell and Alice Plummer are at home from Bridgton.

Miss Haskell of Harrison is keeping house for A. H. Whitehouse.

Ray Wilson is employed at the Industrial School, Lancaster, Mass.

Mrs. Anna Richardson of Norway recently visited Mrs. Chas. H. Spears.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Plummer went to Norway, Monday, to visit J. Waldo Nash.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Chute of South Paris have just visited at M. E. Perry's and other old friends in town.

Rev. J. A. Corey conducted quarterly meeting service at the Methodist church, Tuesday afternoon and evening, Nov. 1.

Arthur Flint from the boys' school, Westborough, Mass., is spending a part of his two weeks vacation in town, hunting.

C. W. Bennett, who has made extensive repairs to his buildings, the past year, is now finishing painting the outside.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wilson and sons, Charles and John, of North Lovell visited Mrs. I. S. Richardson, the past week.

S. L. Plummer has sold his stage route to Bridgton station to Charles M. Evans and is paying special attention to his farm.

E. S. Bennett built a new chimney in the ell of his house, the past week, and is finishing off the inside. O. H. Haskell master workman.

Our town schools all closed, Thursday, Oct. 27th. They gave a grand exhibition, Friday evening, at Town hall in honor of Margus Lafayette.

A little son came, the past week, to gladden the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. M. Evans. Mrs. Evans' mother, Mrs. Crouse of East Boston is with them.

Roswell B. Nevers went to North Paris, Wednesday, with his goods. His father, B. W. Nevers, went with Mrs. R. B. Nevers and children, Friday. We feel sorry to lose our old townspeople.

Mrs. A. H. Spears, Mrs. N. O. McIntire and Mrs. E. S. Bennett entertained the Y. P. Circle at Town hall, Thursday evening. After a baked bean supper and a fine programme of music, and recitations, ice cream and cake was served to a goodly number of the guests.

Mrs. R. O. Monilton, Mrs. Samuel Plummer and Mrs. J. W. Perry entertained the Y. P. Circle, Wednesday evening, Nov. 18th, at Town hall.

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### Praise for a Norway Soldier.

Mrs. Helen Cherry, whose son, Myron Cherry, of the U. S. Army recently died at Sackett's Hospital, N. Y., has received the following letter from the Captain of his company:

My Dear Madam:—Your son died here unexpectedly on the 18th of typhoid fever, of which so many of our soldiers have died since coming from Cuba. He was well beloved by the officers and all the men of the company and will be greatly missed and long lovingly remembered. His comrades in his company contributed seventy dollars for purchase of casket, use of hearse and purchase of flowers.

Services were held here on the evening of the 19th and his remains were accorded full military honors, the officers and entire regiment being in the procession, with many citizens who knew your son.

Your son was a true and honorable soldier, and so regarded by every one in the company, and knew no fear.

I am, Madam, most sincerely your obedient servant, GEORGE PALMER, Capt. 9th U. S. Inf., Commanding Co. D.

### GREENWOOD.

Abbie Whittle is in Portland for a few days.

John Ring returned home from Portland, last Tuesday. He failed to get a job.

Stillman Cole shot a fine deer in an old orchard not far from his home, last Friday.

Stillman Cole left, Monday morning, with his sister, Mrs. Swan, and family for Milan, N. H.

Austin Morgan has sold one horse and bought one to match his red-gray so that he has a fine team.

Special meetings at the Methodist church are largely attended and an excellent interest manifested.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Swan of Milan, N. H., with their children are visiting parents and friends at Greenwood.

Little Morgan has been home from Newry High School for a week on account of ill health. We are glad to learn that she is improving.

Your correspondent called, last Friday, at the town farm and was much pleased to find the worthy keeper and wife in such good spirits notwithstanding the autumnal toil and depressing scenes all about them. We met the inmates and were in several departments of the home.

In both there were evidences of neatness and care. Evidently the overseer and wife are the right persons in the right place.

A large party of hunters from Norway village are at Camp Dundee, this week.

Ambrose Ackley and son from Peak's Island visited his cousin, E. W. Penley, last week.

Al. Ring, Ernest Martin and Bert Bonney have returned from their trip to the logging woods.

George Bicknell and wife, also Mrs. Elmina Bicknell, are spending the week at Asa Packard's.

The winter term of school on the mountain commenced, October 31st, with Elletta Doughty, teacher.

### Bridgton Academy.

President of the board of trustees, Hon. Edward F. Brown, L. L. D., visited the school, recently. He gave the students a short address. He also offered fifty dollars in prizes for declamations and composition.

L. C. Mead has been giving the gymnasium a new coat of paint.

Mr. Worthly, the optician, came to the academy, Friday, giving the students the privilege of having their eyes examined free of charge.

The first issue of The Stranger for the fall term has just come out. This issue is a very interesting one.

The Nichols Latin School football team drove from Lewiston, Friday, to Harrison where they stopped all night, driving to the academy in the morning to play with the Bridgton. The boys had practiced hard expecting to meet in Nichols Latin School one of the strongest teams in the state but won their fifth victory. Game was called at ten o'clock.

Nichols Latin School won the toss and chose the upper goal. Bridgton kicked off the ball, went over the line, which meant a kick off from Nichols Latin. Bridgton rushed the ball up the field having it on the twenty-five yard line when the referee gave the ball to Nichols claiming they had no right to run trick plays. They rushed the ball to the center of the field where Bridgton held them for downs. The ball was rushed up the field but the referee kept giving the ball to Nichols. Bridgton held them for downs repeatedly until the first half was completed. Neither side scored, Bridgton having the better of the game. The second half was more interesting. Soon after the kick-off Bridgton began its line plays which weakened Nichols. The referee gave the ball to Nichols, claiming the quarter back passed the ball ahead. Nichols then tried a criss-cross which Merrill of Bridgton got. Skillings went down the field for a touchdown. No goal was kicked. With only a few minutes to play Bridgton kept rushing the ball through the center until within thirty yards when Skillings made another touchdown. During the remaining time Bridgton had the ball in Nichols' territory but did not score. The game was one of the best ever played at Bridgton. Line-up as follows:

N. L. S. Snea, Rickford, Pettit, Millar, May, Hays, Pringle, Johnson, Warren, Allen, L. S. O. Referee, Sullivan (L. S.), Umpire, James (B. A.). Time, 15 minute halves.

### SOUTH RUMFORD.

C. K. Cary and Mrs. Clara Curtis visited in Turner, last week.

F. P. Putnam and wife, also Mrs. Belle Jones and son George went to Boston on the excursion.

Bert Putnam has charge of building the new mill on Zircen and has a crew of men working on it.

Mrs. Elsie Hall from Haverhill, Mass., recently visited her brother, E. E. Abbott, and other relatives at East and South Rumford.

Marionette Shows.

One of the most fascinating of evening entertainments, especially for a club of boys or girls like the chapters of our Open Window club, is a marionette show. It is one of the oldest of amusements, and yet it is always new and funny.

And for an "open meeting" at which admission is charged there is nothing more attractive. Directions are here given for making a marionette show, and any club of boys and girls will find it inexpensive and not at all difficult, and with a little practice it can be made most laughable.

Using the characters of Red Riding Hood, the old grandmother, the wolf and the woodsman, the whole play of "Red Riding Hood" may be given, the characters being dressed through the play in the greatest glee.

Besides that, other little plays with clowns, dancing dummies, funny policemen and other characters may be given. The main fun in a marionette show is the cuts way in which the odd dressed characters are made to hop about. After once making the dummy men and animals an imaginative boy can work up any number of odd shows for them.

The first and most important thing is to make the dummies. All that is necessary for this work is a sharp jackknife, some bits of pine and a box of screw eyes. The dummy shown in the picture (A) will give you an idea about the working of all the dummies. As you will see, there are ten parts, all of which are very simply made, except the head. That will have to be whittled out of some very soft wood.

Screw eyes are used to fasten the parts together. Screw one of these eyes in, say, the shoulder, then, with a pair of pliers, open the ring of another screw enough to allow it to slip into the screw eye already fixed, then close it again, and the two will be secured together.

Next insert the second screw into the top joint of arm, and so on with the other arm and legs. Fix the neck into the body in the same manner. The face must, of course, be painted according to the character it is supposed to represent, with water or oil color or chalk.

The wig may be made of a piece of dyed sheep's wool or of raveled worsted or rope and or a regular doll's wig may be used. The picture A shows the figure set up with the two working sticks. The strings which cause the dummy to dance are of dark carpet thread. One strand should be placed into each side of the head, about where the top of the ear comes. A small tack nearly driven in will give a support to fasten the thread to. The lines from each side of the head are known as the life lines, their real purpose being to support the figure, which must be fastened to a piece of wood (1). Bore a hole with a thin piece of wire made red-hot through the center of the palm of each hand, next make a knot at the end of a length of thread and pass it through the hole made in the hand until the knot reaches the underneath part of hand, and then fasten the other end of the thread on to stick (1). Drive a tack into each of the upper joints of legs just above the knees, fasten threads on to these and the other end on to stick (2).

The dummy is now complete, except for dressing, according to the character which it is to represent. The girls can make all sorts of odd costumes of silk, calico or satin—for ballet dancers, bicyclist girls, clowns, acrobats—not forgetting that harlequins and eastern characters like Blue Beard need plenty of spangles, gold and silver lace and tinsel paper. The gaudier the costume can be made the better.

Make the costumes so that they are left open at the back, both jackets and breeches; they can then be pulled on to the figure and carefully tucked on at the back, for it is very seldom you require to show the backs of figures. A fair average height for the figures for a performance is about 8 to 10 inches.

The dummy, now being complete, you take the stick (1) in your left hand, palm upmost, and the stick (2) in your right hand, palm downward. By moving the left hand backward or forward, and giving a kind of seesaw motion to your right hand, the dummy will have the effect of walking; also with the right hand fingers you can manipulate the threads connected with the arms of the figures. With a little practice you will soon be able to make the dummies do many things which will greatly please you and very much astonish your audience.

With a dark background the threads, which are run out through the cloth of the costume with a needle, will show very little, if at all, and this makes the dancing of the dummies all the more astonishing.

Of animals you can have your choice, as they are all worked on much the same principle. A bull, which may also be used as a horse or a goat, or for that matter, for almost any other animal by

merely dark paper. This rear scene should always be dark, so that the threads which operate the dummies may not show against it. If there is a boy in the club who can paint, he can make almost any number of them to suit various acts. They can be put up on ordinary spring curtain rollers. In "Red Riding Hood" the background may be a dark forest; in "Blue Beard," a big, dark castle, and so on. The stage floor should be covered with dark green cloth or paper. The boy who works figures may stand on a chair or box behind the scenes. The frame of the stage, as you will see, is very simple, and the draperies can be tacked to it. The foot-lights can be made of old tin tomato cans. The tops and bottoms can be melted off and the creases down the side opened, so that they will make half round reflectors. Candles may be used for lights. It is essential that the foot-light reflectors be made of tin, the inside bright and the part to the audience painted black. Four or five will be enough for an ordinary stage.

You may have a boy introduce the characters or not, as you see fit. The show will be all the better if accompanied by some lively music—jigs and waltzes. There may be two or three different plays, separated by musical selections or by exercises of different kinds. While the acts are going on the lights in the audience room may be turned down as in a theater, and nearly all of the light will be thrown from the footlights on the stage characters.—Chicago Record.

Another Worm.

An inspector was recently examining a class of girls in natural history.

"Tell me the names of any animals you know," he began, but the faces of the children expressed bewilderment at the request. At length, however, a little girl at the back of the class shot up her hand as though a bright idea had suddenly struck her.

"A worm," said the inspector, "the smallest girl in the class knows! Well, my dear, what is it?"

"A worm," came the triumphant answer.

"Well—er—yes, a worm is really an animal, but can no one think of any other?"

Again profound silence reigned.

"If I were one of you big girls," the inspector remarked after a pause, on seeing the same hand held up, "I should be ashamed of myself."

The turning to the little scholar as a last resort, he said:

"Well, what is it this time, my girl?"

"Another worm, sir," was the quick response.—Scottish Nights.

Tender Hearted Children.

William and Mary lived in town and did not know a great deal about the fowls and animals that are so common in the country, but they were both very fond of pets and would make a personal friend of every animal they met.

Their mother did not like to buy dressed fowls in the market, preferring to have a live turkey or chicken sent home a week or more before killing it, so that it might be fattened under her own directions. This was all very well in certain ways, for Willie and Mary were very fond of feeding the fowls, but when the day of slaughter came it was not so well, for howls of protest would go up from both children, until it was found to be impossible to kill a fowl that they had fed, and their mother had to abandon her lifelong practice of buying live birds.

A Cat Hotel.

A New York lady and her daughter recently opened a hotel for cats and it seems to have turned out a paying concern, for they receive a large number of both winter and summer boarders. The cats' hotel is situated close to the Hudson river and rejoices in the name of Naraushan farm. For \$3 a cat is boarded for one month, and there are no ex-

tras. Each cat has its own little home and even its own yard, which is turfed. Pussy is an exclusive creature and often dislikes to be made to eat or, indeed, to mix. The only other boarders taken are parrots and canaries.—Golden Days.

A Hard Situation.

"I never have a chance to ask you for money, Henry. Before dinner you are cross."

"Well?"

"And after dinner you go to sleep."

—Chicago Record.

Her Point of View.

"Do you think it does any good to scold your husband every time he fails to please you, Mrs. Henpeck?"

"I know it does. It makes me feel better every time."—Detroit Free Press.

Made a Hit.

"Graygreen is selling his pictures like smoke."

"Yes. He has quit painting to please the artists and is painting to please the public."—New York Journal.

As Was Done Into Him.

Catching at the stranger's costail he murmured in a deprecating tone "Could you give me a little assistance sir?"

The stranger turned and looked him over. His eyes were bloodshot his clothes dirty his whole appearance decided the worse for wear.

"What do you want?" was the reply to the tramp.

"A job after I get a square meal," said the tramp.

"What can you do?" asked the stranger.

"I can keep books, sell goods, drive a delivery wagon, compound prescriptions, set type and do farm work."

The stranger scribbled a few words on a card, handed the tramp \$1 and said: "Take this card to this address, and I think it will get you work. Take that dollar, get a bath, a shave, a hair cut, something to eat and a drink of whisky. That will brace you to meet my friend. So long!"

"There's just one thing more," said the tramp. "How do you happen to give me just \$1 and all these directions with it?"

"Because I got \$1 from a man on this very corner about ten years ago," said the stranger, "just as you are getting it from me, and I'm passing up his advice and his money just for luck."—Chicago Chronicle.

Bedtime In Canada.

Any one who has visited Canada realizes the difference between Yankee hustling and the easy going way they do things up there. "I should love to go visiting in Canada," says a tired wanderer, "if the people there ever went to bed."

"They never go to bed," and they never get up," commented a Hibernian who had been there.

Something must be wrong with the old axiom of how to be healthy, wealthy and wise, for the first at least these Canadians are, and they rarely go to bed much before midnight, nor breakfast much before 9 o'clock. It is an old country custom handed down and comfortably enjoyed. The 9:30 p. m. bedtime of American domesticity is there unknown, and the 7:30 breakfast belongs solely to the lowest laboring class.

"Oh, yes, I feel splendid this morning. I got to bed early and had a good sleep," said a young man, who had been complaining of weariness and lack of rest. "What time did you retire?" asked the inquisitive American. "Oh, real early," was the reply. "Soon after the clock had struck 12."—Troy Times.

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BROWNFIELD.

Ivory Brown, the oldest member of D. A. Bean Post, G. A. R., is very sick. Comrade Brown is now 80 years old and has been in feeble health more than a year.

Alvin Perkins has a crew of men making repairs at the Congregational parsonage, getting it ready for some one to occupy during the winter, and Rev. Mr. Sargent, now a resident of Denmark, is the tenant.

Mrs. Inna Johnson Kenniston died at the home of her mother, Mrs. Nahum Johnson, on Saturday, aged 26 years and 2 months. Mrs. Kenniston was the widow of Sidney Kenniston, who died here the 17th of last March.

Anne Harding moved her father, David Harding, from this village, where they have resided for the last two years, to their old home in Lowell, Mass., Saturday. Mr. Harding is an invalid, so feeble he had to be moved on a cot bed or stretcher.

The extension of the telephone from New Boston settlement to Porter Village and Kears Falls was completed, Saturday, and now the wires are extended from East Brownfield via New Boston to Kears Falls and the branch to Snowville and Eaton Centre, N. H., will soon be built.

RUMFORD FALLS.

Bradford Hammond of Mexico was killed, Monday morning, by a falling chimney while moving a house.

Frank Salis, a Pole employed at the International Paper company's mill at Rumford Falls, was killed, Monday night, by a flying belt.

William H. McAllister has moved from Stoneham to East Rumford, and works for A. J. Knight. He has moved his family into W. L. Goodwin's house.

The intermediate room at the high school building, Lila E. Curtis, teacher, has been presented with a large French clock, very handsome in design, and cathedral strike. The clock was a gift from Mrs. George Gates.

Mrs. B. L. Rounds was called to her home in Milan, N. H., Saturday, to attend the funeral of her uncle, Elijah Fogg of Gorham, N. H., who was killed by the falling of a stage on which he was at work. Mrs. Rounds' youngest brother was also on the staging and was severely injured by the fall.

In the State of Maine, there are now 51 savings banks, 17 trust companies and 32 loan and building associations, making the same number as last year, with but two changes. The Rumford Falls Loan and Building Association dropped out during the year, and the Mercantile Trust Company of Portland has been admitted.

GILEAD.

Mrs. Dora Cole, who died at Gilead, was the daughter of the late Allison and Emma Bennett and the grandchild of Parley B. Heath, and survived her mother but a week. For two or three years she has been somewhat of an invalid, but since last April her decline has been more marked, restricting her to her bed for the past two months. She seemed to be aware of her approaching end, which occurred about 2 o'clock on the morning of October 23. Her husband and a sister, Mrs. Herbert Cole, and a brother survive to mourn their loss. Several years since Mrs. Cole united with the church in this place. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Henry Farrar, assisted by Rev. F. M. Wiswell, a former pastor here. Text, Isaiah xlv, 6, "We all do fade as a leaf." The hymns were, "When the Mists Have Rolled Away," "Some Sweet Day, By and By," and "It Is Well With My Soul."

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EAST HEBRON.

The sick are slowly improving.

Melvin Farris has commenced house-keeping.

Will Davis from Auburn recently plastered for A. G. Roberts.

John Walsh returns to Boston, this week. His wife will still care for her sister, Mrs. Robinson.

Bernice Berry is anxious to return to her studies at the academy and hopes to be able to return soon.

Willie Packard with his cousin, Oscar Russell, and two friends from Poland passed, last week, at the lakes.

Fred Tuttle returns to Massachusetts, this week, and will soon be mustered out of service. He has had a thirty days furlough.

Grace Bonney from Winthrop was the guest of Baker Phillips, last Saturday. She is now teaching in Minot and here, last season.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Berry and Mr. and Mrs. Albion Allen are appointed as delegates to the November session of Free Baptist quarterly meeting in Canton.

R. E. Tuttle from Chelsea, Mass., passed two days with his sister, Mrs. A. E. Robinson, recently. He has a severe bronchial trouble and has been unable to work for the past three weeks.

H. N. Merrill returned from Bath, last Friday, being called there, Wednesday, by the sudden death of his brother Origen, formerly of Turner. He was ship carpenter and was working in Portsmouth, N. H., when he passed away.

BIRTHS.

In Norway, Oct. 30, to the wife of Fred D. Hosmer, a son.

In Fryeburg, Oct. 25, to the wife of R. H. Cousins, a daughter.

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In Oxford, Oct. 25, to the wife of James Dumb, a daughter.

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## LOVELL.

The apple packers are busy about here. The schools of the town closed on Friday last week.

B. E. Brown and wife have returned to Rockland, Mass.

Last week Monday, W. O. Brown shot a revolver bullet through his hand.

On Friday, Benjamin Russell fell from a staging while at work for Henry Keniston and broke his wrist.

A very interesting and profitable session of the West Oxford S. S. Association was held at the Christian church, at Lovell Center on Tuesday last. A large number were in attendance.

## PORTER VILLAGE.

Ivory Danforth is quite sick.

Edwin Stanley of Boston is visiting his father, Samuel Stanley.

David Ridlon has improved the looks of his house by giving it a coat of paint.

The recent rains have supplied a long felt want by replenishing the wells with water.

Mrs. Melvin Kennard, who has been quite sick with typhoid fever, is gaining slowly.

Mrs. Silvia Prince of Charleston, Mass., is visiting her uncle, Samuel Stanley.

William Boothbay of Limington is spending a few days with his old friends in this place.

Mrs. Cathie Cole died, the 26, after a long sickness of consumption. She had been stopping with Mrs. Levi Cole.

Mrs. Lydia Ridlon passed away, the 29th, to the better world. She was quite an old lady and a good christian. Her age was about 85 years.

We are glad to report the wonderful improvement in the looks of the church in this place, by having the underpinning set. Steps will be taken soon to have it painted.

Rev. W. Thomson of Eppingham Falls preached a very interesting sermon, Sunday morning. There were but a few at church. Those who were not there ought to have been. It was to the point and such preaching is needed among the people this way.

## WILSON'S MILLS.

E. S. Bennett has gone over to cook for W. W. Linnell.

Edwin and Millie Storey have attended school since the bridge was passable. George Deering and Joseph Brooks have been here, the past week, with groceries and meat.

Mrs. M. A. Bennett of Wentworth's Location is visiting at N. K. Bennett's and F. A. Flint's.

George Stearns and R. S. Bean have returned from their hunting trip to the Upper Magalloway. Game is very scarce.

Will Hart has been at work at Camp In Meadows, building a storehouse for steamer Bobcat which has been taken out and is now safe in its winter quarters.

## WEST LOVELL.

School closed in the Foxboro district, Friday, Oct. 28.

Lucy Elliott has returned to her work at New Hampshire.

Nathaniel Fox has Geo. Andrews' boat house nearly completed.

Arthur Nichols of Lynn, Mass., is visiting his aunt, Mrs. John A. Fox.

A party of four made a trip to Mount-ain pond in Chatham, N. H., Oct. 29.

Mrs. Marietta Fox is caring for her son's wife, Mrs. Walter Fox, at the Center.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. McAllister went to Bethel, Oct. 30th, to attend the funeral of Mrs. McAllister's niece, Vera Farwell, late of Portland.

## WEST BETHEL.

I. S. Morrill grinds out some nice meal at his mill.

Milton Holt has put in some flour called Roller King.

G. B. Lowell is soon to build an addition to his barn.

Maud Merrow has sold her flock of geese to Fred Ordway.

Mrs. Volney Davis visited her friend, Mrs. Fred Ordway, recently.

A. S. Bean has a new piazza built to his house on his Mains place.

Hazen Lowell went to Gorham, N. H., on the excursion, last Sunday.

Pike's store looks nice since the new front with piazza has been put on.

J. F. Rollins has commenced to put down a new aqueduct, using lead pipe.

Fred McLeod does very satisfactory work at his barber shop in Pike's store.

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Harry Lane and wife have gone to housekeeping in one of A. S. Bean's rents.

Mr. Burgess with family from Harrison has moved into one of A. S. Bean's rents.